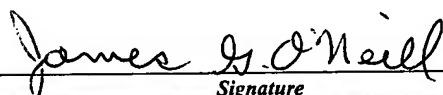



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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION – 37 CFR 1.111

In response to the Office Action mailed August 23, 2005, please amend the subject application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of the claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

The priority document EP 03388011.3 is submitted herewith.